## House Resolution No. 3149

Whereas, as the 2007-2008 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Mehlville R-IX School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on June 23, 2008, with the retirement of Charles F. Hildebrand who has devoted several years of his life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

Whereas, Charles Hildebrand has taught science for thirty-one years at Mehlville R-IX, where he is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Charles Hildebrand has touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

Whereas, Charles Hildebrand has watched his pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge he has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

Whereas, Charles Hildebrand has also enjoyed recognition by landscaping the school grounds with his botany class, and teaching Taekwondo, Hapkido, Judo, and self defense; and

Whereas, Charles Hildebrand has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include his wife, Lynda L. Hildebrand; and two daughters, Kristen L. Hildebrand and Holly F. Hildebrand:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Mehlville R-IX School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Charles Hildebrand has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing him the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that he so justly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Charles F. Hildebrand, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by
Representative Sue Schoemehl
District No. 100
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3149, adopted May 16, 2008.
Rod Jetton, Speaker